

FCC Commissioners  
The Federal Communications Commission RE: Docket 04-435  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Dear FCC Commissioners ,

I am writing to voice my outrage over the FCC's proposal to relax the restrictions on the use of cell phones on airplanes in flight.

There is no hard evidence that cell phone use doesn't interfere with navigational instruments. However, there is ample evidence this will dramatically increase on board tension, conflicts, and all around discomfort.

The introduction of cell phone use in the cabin will not only increase tension among passengers, it will compromise flight attendants' ability to maintain order in an emergency. Cell phone use could also enable terrorists to coordinate a plan of action more effectively.

As a regular business traveler and cell phone user, I am adamantly opposed to any changes in the airplane cell phone policy. Please leave the current rules in effect.

Sincerely,

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cc:  
Senator Dianne Feinstein  
Senator Barbara Boxer  
Representative Barbara Lee